

REMARKS

Claim 1 was pending in this application. Claim 1 has been amended. New claims 2-14 have been presented. Upon entry of the present amendment, Claims 1-14 would be pending in this application.

Applicants request that the present amendments be entered as the amendments place the claims in condition for allowance or in better form for consideration on appeal.

I. REJECTION UNDER 2nd PARAGRAPH OF 35 U.S.C. § 112 - DEFINITENESS

The Examiner has rejected claim 1 under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, as allegedly being indefinite for the recitation of the phrase "GABA analog." The Examiner stated that the rejection could be overcome by inserting formulas of I and II as set forth in the specification.


Applicants have amended claim 1 to delete "GABA analog" and to recite formula I. Applicants therefore contend that claim 1, as amended, is sufficiently definite under 35 U.S.C. § 112, 2nd paragraph. Accordingly Applicants respectfully request that this rejection under 35 U.S.C. § 112, 2nd paragraph be withdrawn.

CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing remarks and amendments, Applicants believe all claims now pending in this Application are in condition for allowance.

If the Examiner believes that a telephone conference would expedite the prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 734-622-2095.

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